

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1568
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DEVELOPMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) the population of cattle in the country, State-wise;
- (b) the per capita fodder available for the cattle, State-wise;
- (c) the details of the steps taken for the development of animal husbandry; and
- (d) the estimated loss of cattle due to the flood ravages during the last three years?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (DR. DEBENDRA PRADHAN)

(a)&(b): The information is placed at Annexure 'A'

(c): The Department is implementing various programmes for the genetic improvement of Livestock and birds, prevention of diseases and health care and also development of feed and fodder resources to provide nutrition to the domestic animals and birds.

(d): The information is placed at Annexure 'B'

ANNEXURE- 'A'

CATTLE POPULATION AND AVAILABILITY OF FODDER PER HEAD

STATES Cattle Population
(Thousand Nos.) Per capita Availability of fodder
(Kg per annual)

ANDHRA PRADESH	10946	3768
ARUNACHAL PRADESH	324	43154
ASSAM	10118	704
BIHAR	22154	1051
GOA	98	3350
GUJARAT	6804	9302
HARYANA	2136	18601
HIMACHAL PRADESH	2165	2432
JAMMU & KASHMIR	3055	2806
KARNATAKA	13173	2608
KERALA	3524	726
MADHYA PRADESH	28688	3094
MARASHTRA	17446	4520
MANIPUR	719	2173
MEGHALAYA	635	3825
MIZORAM	59	70206
NAGALAND	332	6738
ORISSA	13841	1191
PUNJAB	2909	19807
RAJASTHAN	11699	12498
SIKKIM	198	3818
TAMIL NADU	9278	2845
TIRUPURA	949	1655
UTTAR PRADESH	25635	4024
WEST BENGAL	17463	1094
A&N ISLANDS	50	36134
CHANDIGARH	5	27649
D&N HAVELI	49	2504
DAMAN & DIU	8	NA
DELHI	41	63
LAKSHADWEEP	2	NA
PODICHERRY	90	NA

ALL INDIA 204584 3865

Annexure-B

(d) Loss of cattle due to the flood ravages during the last three years is as under:

1998 1999 2000

105828 8753 102121

(Nos) (Nos) (Nos)